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This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after issuance of a first Office action, but, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a final action under 37 CFR §1.113 or notice of allowance under 37 CFR §1.311.

Therefore, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(c), submitted herewith is the fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(p) for submission of an information disclosure statement under 37 CFR §1.97(c).

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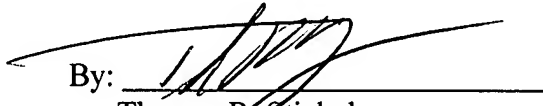
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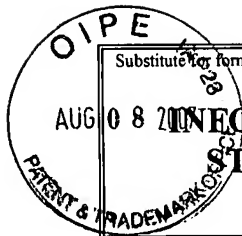
An early and favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

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